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Vernon A. Williams, Secretary  
Surface Transportation Board  
395 E Street, S.W., Suite 1149  
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Re Finance Docket No 34870, *PYCO Industries, Inc v South Plains Switching, Ltd Co*

Finance Docket No 34889, *PYCO Industries, Inc -- Alternative Rail Service -- South Plains Switching, Ltd Co*

Dear Mr. Williams:

As attorney for South Plains Switching, Ltd. Co. (SAW), I am in receipt of an "Emergency Motion to Prevent Further Retaliatory Actions by South Plains Switching, Ltd. Co Against PYCO Industries, Inc.," filed by PYCO Industries, Inc. on August 1, 2007.

This is to notify the Board that SAW will file a reply in opposition to that Motion within the 20-day period for such replies provided for in 49 C.F.R. § 1104.13(a). The Board is urged to refrain from acting on that Motion until SAW has had an opportunity to prepare and file its reply, and the Board has had an opportunity to give appropriate consideration to such reply.

Very truly yours,

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